



# **Outdoor Dome KCM Series Hardware Manual**

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KCM-7211

KCM-7111

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# Precautions

## Read these instructions

You should read all the safety and operating instructions before using this product.

## Heed all warnings

You must adhere to all the warnings on the product and in the instruction manual. Failure to follow the safety instruction given may directly endanger people, cause damage to the system or to other equipment.

## Servicing

Do not attempt to service this video device yourself as opening or removing covers may expose you to dangerous voltage or other hazards. Refer all servicing to qualified service personnel.

## Trademarks

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## Liability

Every reasonable care has been taken during the writing of this manual. Please inform your local office if you find any inaccuracies or omissions. We cannot be held responsible for any typographical or technical errors and reserve the right to make changes to the product and manuals without prior notice.

## FCC/CE Regulation

**NOTE:** This equipment has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class A digital device, pursuant to Part 15 of the FCC Rules. These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference when the equipment is operated in a commercial environment. This equipment generates, uses, and can radiate radio frequency energy and, if not installed and used in accordance with the instruction manual, may cause harmful interference to radio communications. Operation of this equipment in a residential area is likely to cause harmful interference in which case the users will be required to correct the interference at their own expense.

## Safety Instructions

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### **Cleaning**

Disconnect this video product from the power supply before cleaning.

### **Attachments**

Do not use attachments not recommended by the video product manufacturer as they may cause hazards.

### **Do not use accessories not recommended by the manufacturer**

Only install this device in a dry place protected from weather

### **Servicing**

Do not attempt to service this video product yourself. Refer all servicing to qualified service personnel.

### **Damage Requiring service**

Disconnect this video product from the power supply immediately and refer servicing to qualified service personnel under the following conditions.

- 1) When the power-supply cord or plug is damaged
- 2) If liquid has been spilled, or objects have fallen into the video product.
- 3) If the inner parts of video product have been directly exposed to rain or water.
- 4) If the video product does not operate normally by following the operating Instructions in this manual. Adjust only those controls that are covered by the instruction manual, as an improper adjustment of other controls may result in damage, and will often require extensive work by a qualified technician to restore the video product to its normal operation.

### **Safety Check**

Upon completion of any service or repairs to this video product, ask the service technician to perform safety checks to determine if the video product is in proper operating condition.

# Introduction

## Package Contents

Check if the camera package comes with the following items.

Camera	Conduit Gland	Cable Gland
		
Hexagon Wrench	Pan Bracket Wrench	Mounting Screw Kit
		
Terminal Block (for Power)	Terminal Block (for DIO/DO)	Terminal Block (for Audio-In/Out)
		
Quick Installation Guide	Warranty Card	Drill Template
		

## Physical Description

### KCM-7111



### KCM-7311 / KCM-7211



- 1 Power Button
- 2 Ethernet Port
- 3 Micro SDHC Card Slot
- 4 Reset Button

- 5 Digital Input / Output
- 6 DC 12V Power Input
- 7 Audio Input / Output

### 1) Power Button

Press the Power Button to reboot the camera.

### 2) Ethernet Port

The Ethernet Port connects to a network using a standard Ethernet cable.

### 3) Micro SDHC Card Slot

Insert a Micro SDHC card here for local recording on camera

### 4) Reset Button

The Reset Button is used to restore the default factory settings of the camera.

**Step 1:** Disconnect the power supply.

**Step 2:** Press and continue to hold the Reset Button (with a sharp object, like a pen.)

**Step 3:** Connect the power supply while keeping the Reset Button pressed.

**Step 4:** Wait for 45 seconds and then release the Reset Button.

### 5) Digital Input / Output

This connector connects to digital input or output devices, such as an alarm trigger, panic button, etc. Digital Input (DI) and Digital Output (DO) devices are used in applications like motion detection, event triggering, alarm notifications, etc. See [Connecting DI/DO Devices \(Optional\)](#) on page 23 for information.

### 6) DC 12V Power Input

In case the camera is connected to a non-PoE (Power over Ethernet) switch, use this connector to connect the camera to an external power adapter. See [Connecting a Power Adapter \(Optional\)](#) on page 21 for more information.











### 7) Audio Input / Output

This connector connects to audio input or output devices, such as a microphone or speaker. See [Connecting Audio In / Out Devices \(Optional\)](#) on page 26 for more information.



## Mounting Solutions

There are several mounting options that you can use to install the camera. Below are the most common options:

Mount Types	Accessories	
Surface Mount	Use the mounting screw kit included in the camera package; no additional accessories are required. See <i>Installing the Camera on</i> on page 10 for installation instructions.	
Flush Mount	PMAX-1003 	
L Type Wall Mount	PMAX-0308 	
Pendant Mount	PMAX-0101+ PMAX-0103  	
Gooseneck Pole Mount	PMAX-0101+ PMAX-0303 + PMAX-0503   	

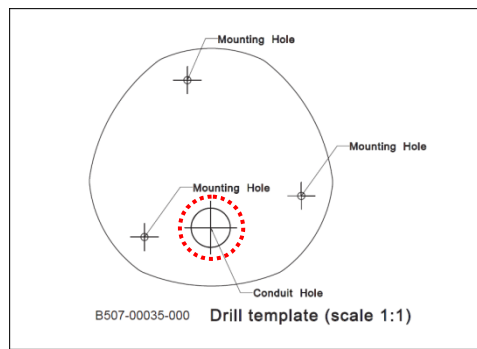
For more information about mounting solutions and accessories, please visit to our website

<http://www.acti.com/mountingselector>.

# Installing the Camera on a Surface

## Step 1: Drill the Holes

1. Using the supplied drill template, mark the screw holes location on the surface, then drill the holes and insert the plastic plugs.
2. Determine how the cables will be routed: ***pass through the surface*** or ***along the surface***.
  - ***If the cables will pass through the surface:***
    - a. Mark and drill the conduit hole location on the surface as shown on the drill template.



- b. Remove the metal cap covering the bottom conduit hole of the camera, and attach the cap to the side conduit hole to close it. Route the network cable to pass this hole from the surface.



- ***If the cables will be routed along the surface,*** skip to the next step.

## Step 2: Open the Dome Cover

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1. Remove the plastic covering the camera.
2. Loosen the three (3) screws securing the dome cover.



3. Carefully lift to open the dome cover and place it on the side of the camera.

**NOTE:** Do not abruptly lift the dome cover; it is attached to the camera with a spring wire.



## Step 3: Prepare for Waterproof Installation

The camera comes with two (2) glands used for waterproof installation:

- **Cable Gland:** For use with an **Exterior-grade Ethernet cable**. Exterior-grade Ethernet cables are already waterproof. See [Waterproof Solution with Naked Cable](#) on page 13.
- **Conduit Gland:** For use with a flexible conduit. This solution is recommended when an exterior-grade Ethernet cable is not available or when other input/output devices or external power adapter will be connected to the camera. See [Waterproof Solution with Conduit](#) on page 15.

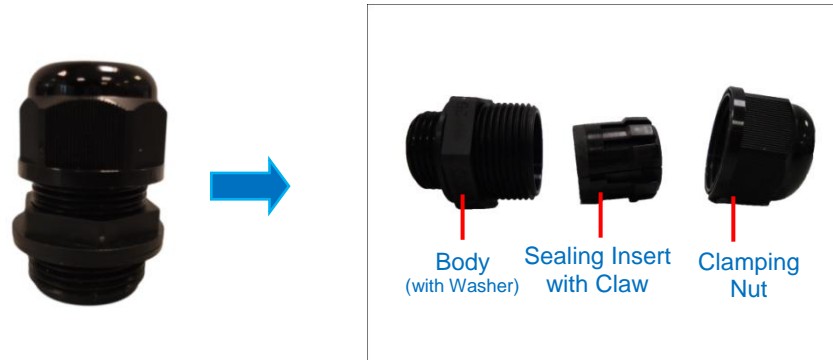
Determine the type of waterproof solution that is applicable to your installation requirements and prepare the necessary accessories or purchase extra materials.

Cable Gland	Conduit Gland
 <p>For use with an <b>Exterior-grade Ethernet cable</b> (not included in the package).</p>	 <p>For use with a <b>3/8"</b> flexible conduit (not included in the package).</p> <p><b>or</b></p>  <p>For use with <b>1/2"</b> flexible conduit (not included in the package)</p>  <p><b>NOTE:</b> The bundled conduit gland may vary. Check the conduit gland that came with your package to determine if 3/8" or 1/2" is the suitable flexible conduit size.</p>

## Waterproof Solution with Naked Cable

This section describes the procedures in using the bundled cable gland and an exterior-grade Ethernet cable.

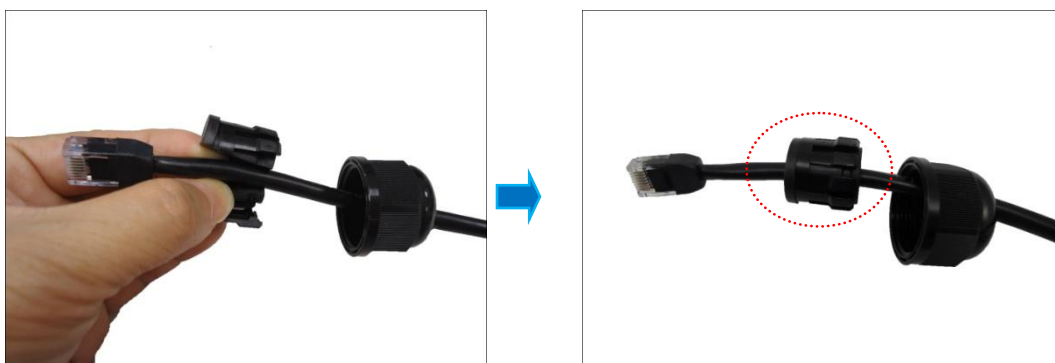
1. Disassemble the cable gland as shown below:



2. Insert the clamping nut into the Ethernet cable.



3. Insert the sealing insert with claw.



4. Attach the cable gland body to the hole of the camera.



Attach to Camera Side Hole

or



Attach to Camera Bottom Hole

5. ***If the cable will be routed along the surface***, skip this step.  
***If the cable will pass through the surface***, do the following:

- a. Pull the network cable through the bottom conduit hole.



- b. Insert the sealing insert with claw into the cable gland body and then attach the clamping nut to complete the cable solution.



**NOTE:** Make sure the clamping nut is tightly attached to the cable gland body and the sealing insert is squeezed tightly.

6. Proceed with [Step 4: Install the Camera to the Surface](#) on page 19.

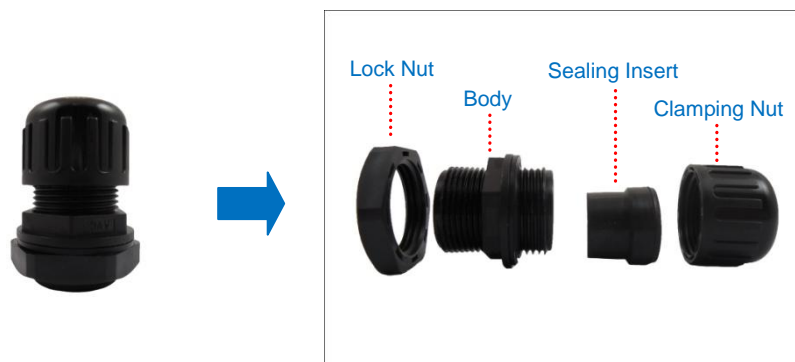
## Waterproof Solution with Conduit

This section describes the procedures to waterproof the cabling connections using the bundled conduit gland and flexible conduit. This is the recommended if other input/output devices or an external power adapter will be connected to the camera or when an exterior-grade Ethernet cable is not available.

1. Prepare the following materials for waterproof installation:

Conduit Gland (included in the camera package)	
	or
For use with 3/8" flexible conduit	For use with 1/2" flexible conduit
Flexible Conduit 3/8" or 1/2" Trade size (not included in the package)	Network Cable CAT 5 or CAT 6 (not included in the package)
	
<b>NOTE:</b> The bundled conduit gland may vary. Check the conduit gland that came with your package to determine if 3/8" or 1/2" is the suitable flexible conduit size.	

2. Disassemble the bundled conduit gland as shown below:



**NOTE:** In this installation, the conduit gland body can be securely attached to the camera; therefore the use of lock nut is not necessary. Please set the lock nut aside.

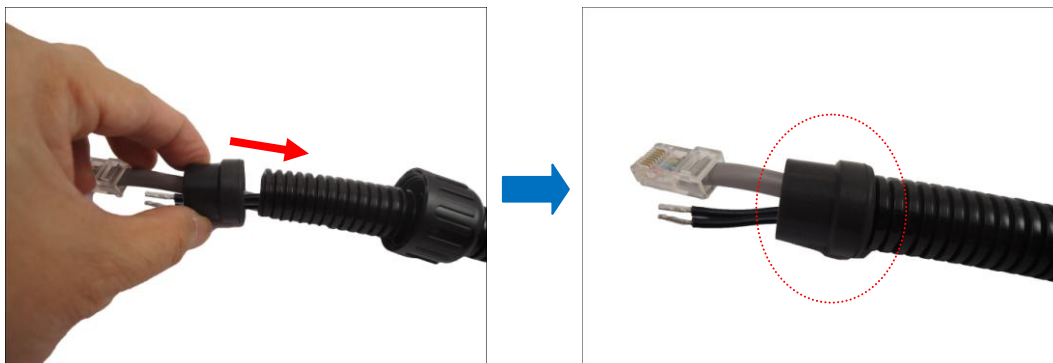
3. Pull the network cable through the flex conduit. If connecting other input/output devices or an external power adapter, pull the cables through the flex conduit without connectors. The terminal blocks will be attached once the cables pass through the camera hole later.



4. Insert the clamping nut through the flex conduit.



5. Insert the sealing insert and attach it at the end of the flex conduit.





6. Screw the conduit gland body to the conduit hole of the camera.



Attach to Side Conduit Hole

or



Attach to Bottom Conduit Hole

7. ***If the cable will be routed along the surface***, skip this step.

***If the cable will pass through the surface***, do the following:

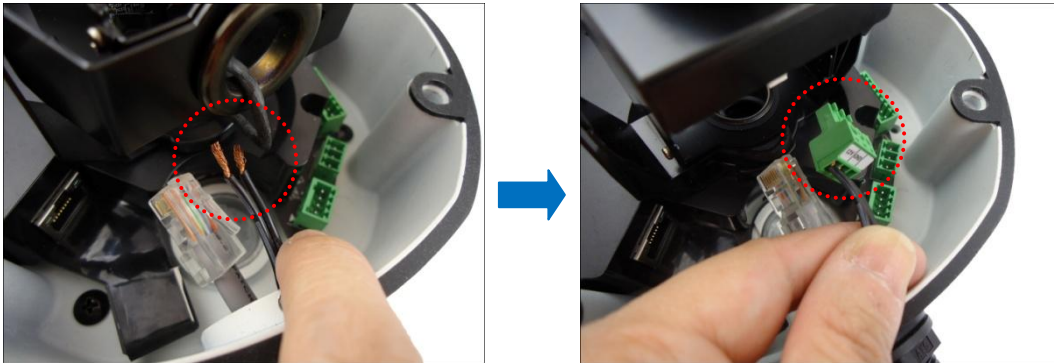
- a. Pull the network cable and other cables (if any) through the bottom conduit hole.



- b. Insert the sealing insert into the conduit gland body and then attach the clamping nut to complete the cable solution.



8. If connecting other cables, attach the terminal blocks to the cables. See [Other Connections](#) on page 21.



9. Proceed with [Step 4: Install the Camera to the Surface](#) on page 19.

## Step 4: Install the Camera to the Surface

1. If necessary, insert a micro SHDC card (up to 32 GB) into the card slot of the camera.
2. Align the camera screw holes and the conduit hole (if necessary) to the holes on the surface and attach the three (3) supplied screws to secure the camera.



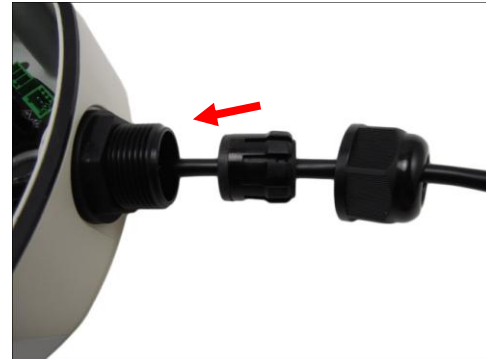
## Step 5: Connect the Cable(s)

1. **If the cables will be routed along the surface**, pull the network cable and the other cables (if any) through the side conduit hole and attach the sealing insert and the clamping nut to the gland body.



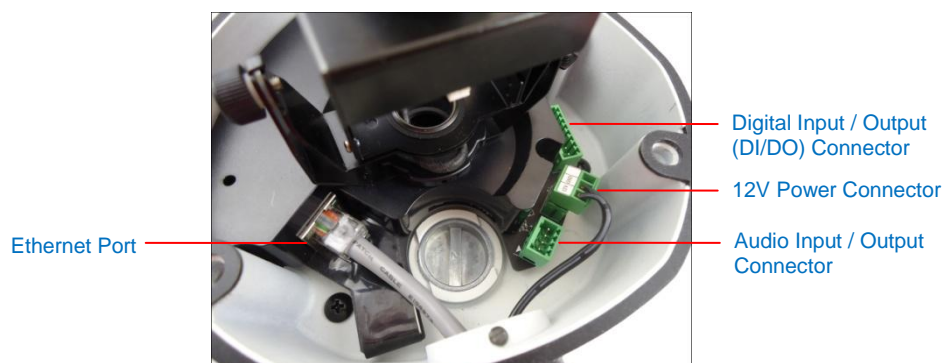
Using Flex Conduit

or



Using Naked Cable

2. Connect the network cable to the Ethernet port and the other cables (if any) to their corresponding connectors on the camera.



## Step 6: Access the Camera Live View

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See [Accessing the Camera](#) on page 30 for more information.

## Step 7: Adjust the Viewing Angle and Focus

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Based on the live view, adjust the viewing angle and orientation of the camera. Adjustments vary per model, for detailed information, please refer to the following sections:

- For KCM-7111 camera models, see [KCM-7111](#) on page 29.
- For KCM-7311 and KCM-7211 camera models, see [KCM-7311 / KCM-7211](#) on page 27.

## Step 8: Close the Dome Cover

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1. Align the position of the dome cover shroud to the direction of the lens.



2. Tighten the three (3) screws to attach the dome cover to the camera body.



## Other Connections

This section describes the procedures in preparing the external devices that you can connect to the camera. The camera supports DC12V power input, Digital Input and Output (DI/DO) and Audio Input and Output devices using the bundled terminal blocks. The use of these devices, however, is optional.

### Connecting a Power Adapter (Optional)

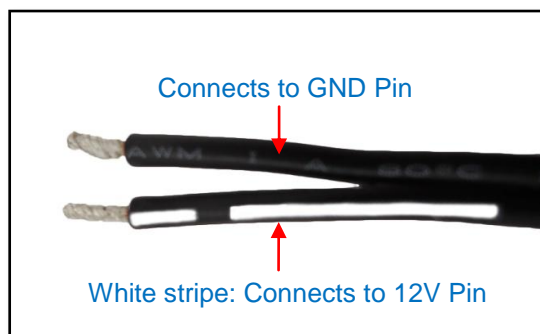
In case of using a non-PoE switch or your PoE switch has limited power supply, you can purchase a power adapter and directly connect the camera to a power outlet. The power adapter must be connected to the supplied terminal block before use.

To do this, follow the procedures below:

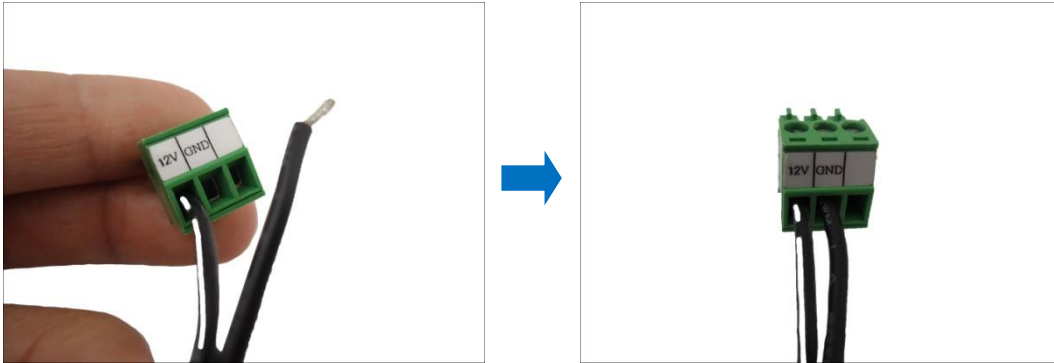
1. Loosen the screws of the **12V** and **GND** pins of the power terminal block.



2. Take note that a standard power adapter cable has two (2) different wires:



3. Connect the wire with the white stripe to the **12V** pin and the other to the **GND** pin.



4. Tighten the screws of the **12V** pin and the **GND** pins to secure the wire connection.



5. Set the prepared power adapter for connection later. Below is an example of a power adapter with an attached terminal block.



**NOTE:** The power adapter is not bundled in the package.

## Connecting DI/DO Devices (Optional)

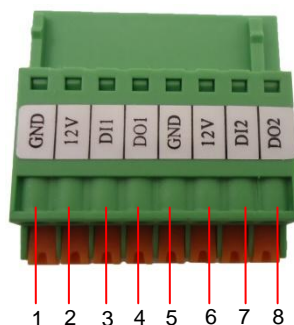
Depending on your surveillance needs, you may connect digital input or output devices to your camera to trigger events or notifications.

Digital Input (DI) devices can be used to notify the camera about an activity in the camera site. DI can be triggers of events. For example, you can connect a “panic button” to the camera; as such when the panic button is pressed, the alarm signal will be sent through the camera. Other common DI device applications are emergency button, smoke detector, passive infrared sensor, etc.

Digital Output (DO) devices are external devices that are activated by the camera upon an event inside the camera. For example, you can connect an “alarm horn” to the camera; as such when an event occurs inside the camera (e.g. detected intruder), the alarm horn will sound. Other common DO device applications are motion-triggered lights, electric fence, magnetic door locks, etc.

You can connect up to two DI and two DO devices to your camera.

Press and hold the orange tab as you insert the wire through the pin slot, then release the orange tab to secure the wire.



To connect input devices (DI), map the pins to one of the pin combinations below:

Device	Pin		Mapping Instructions
Digital Input 1 (DI1)	1	GND	Connect the wires of the first input device to <b>GND</b> (Pin 1) and <b>DI1</b> (Pin 3).
	3	DI1	
Digital Input 2 (DI2)	5	GND	Connect the wires of the second input device to <b>GND</b> (Pin 5) and <b>DI2</b> (Pin 7).
	7	DI2	

To connect output devices (DO), map the pins to one of the pin combinations below:

Device	Pin	Mapping Instructions
Digital Output 1 (DO1)	2	Connect the wires of the first output device to <b>12V</b> (Pin 2) and <b>DO1</b> (Pin 4).
	4	
Digital Output 2 (DO2)	6	Connect the wires of the second output device to <b>12V</b> (Pin 6) and <b>DO2</b> (Pin 8).
	8	

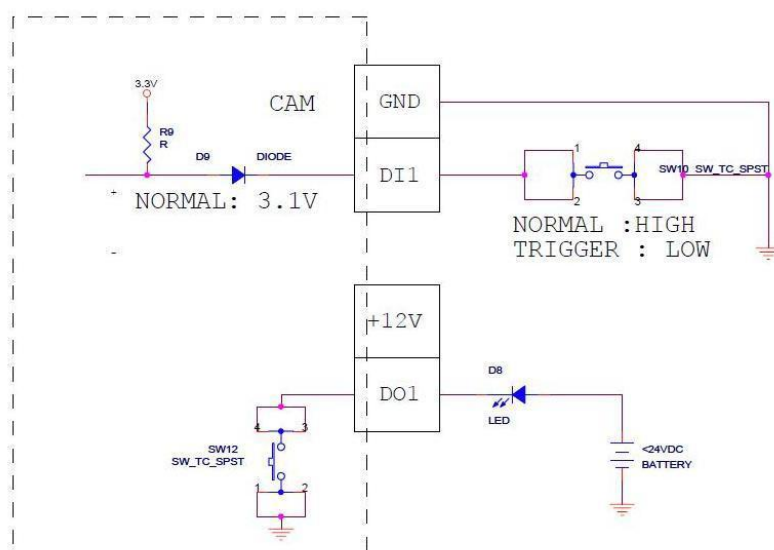
The table below shows the DI/DO connection specifications:

Device		
DI	Connection design	
	TTL - compatible logic levels	
	Voltage	To trigger (low)
		Logic level 0: 0V ~ 0.4V
DO	Voltage	Normal (high)
		Logic level 1: 3.1V ~ 30V
	Current	
DO	10mA ~ 100mA	
	Connection design	
	Transistor (Open Collector)	
DO	Voltage & Current	
	< 24V DC, < 100mA	

## Typical Connection

Based on these specifications, if the DI device has a voltage of 0V ~ 30V or the DO device has a voltage of < 24V (<100mA), then the camera can supply internal power to these devices and there is no need to connect the DI/DO device to an external power source.

In this case, wire connection to Pins 1 to 4. Use the **GND** and **DI1** pins to connect a DI device and use the **12V** and **DO1** pins to connect a DO device. See wiring scheme below:

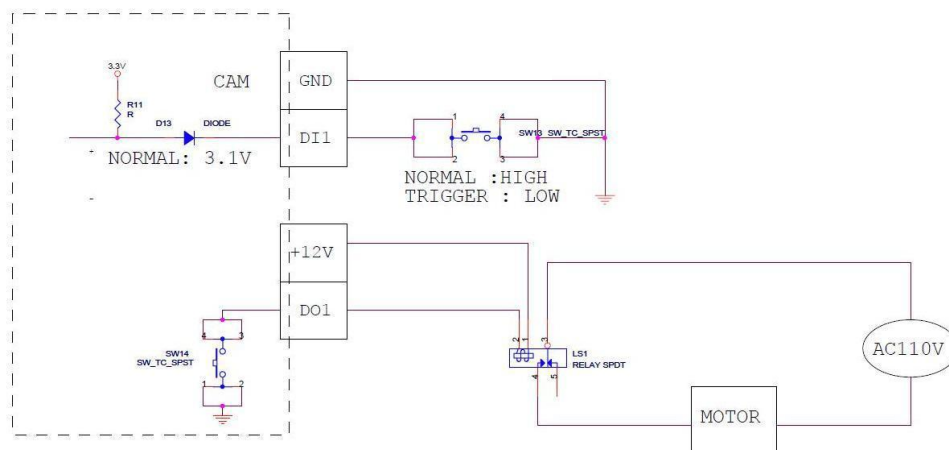




Consequently, to connect a second DI or DO device, wire the connection to Pins 5 to 8.

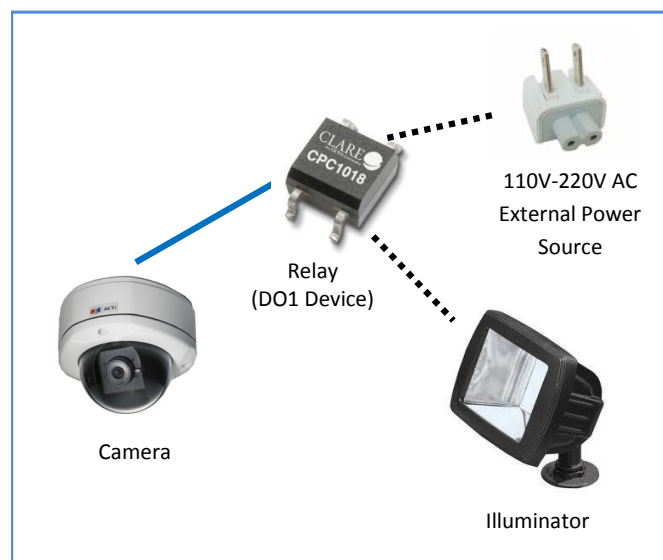
## High Voltage DO Device Connection

Even though the camera provides 12V power, this may not be enough for some high voltage DO devices, such as a ceiling light or a motor that opens or closes a gate. In this case, there is a need to connect an external relay. See wiring scheme below:



Note that when choosing an appropriate relay, please refer to its specifications and make sure they match the above design. The triggering circuit voltage has to be around 12V DC and the switch-controlled circuit voltage has to match the external power supply (e.g. 110V AC or 220V AC).

The illustration below is a graphic example of connecting a relay to a high voltage DO device.



**NOTE:** For more information on DI/DO connections, please refer to the Knowledge Base article [All about Digital Input and Digital Output](http://www.acti.com/kb/detail.asp?KB_ID=KB20091230001) downloadable from the link below ([http://www.acti.com/kb/detail.asp?KB\\_ID=KB20091230001](http://www.acti.com/kb/detail.asp?KB_ID=KB20091230001)).

## Connecting Audio In / Out Devices (Optional)

Depending on your surveillance needs, you may connect audio input or output device, such as an active microphone or speaker, to your camera. In this case, you need to connect the audio input/output device to the supplied audio terminal block.



To connect audio input / output devices, map the pins to one of the pin combinations below:

Device	Pin		Mapping Instructions
Audio Output	1	GND	Connect the wires of the audio output device to <b>GND</b> (Pin 1) and <b>AUDIO.OUT</b> (Pin 2).
	2	DI1	
Audio Input	3	GND	Connect the wires of the audio input device to <b>GND</b> (Pin 3) and <b>AUDIO.IN</b> (Pin 4).
	4	DI2	

Press and hold the orange tab as you insert the wire through the pin slot, then release the orange tab to secure the wire.

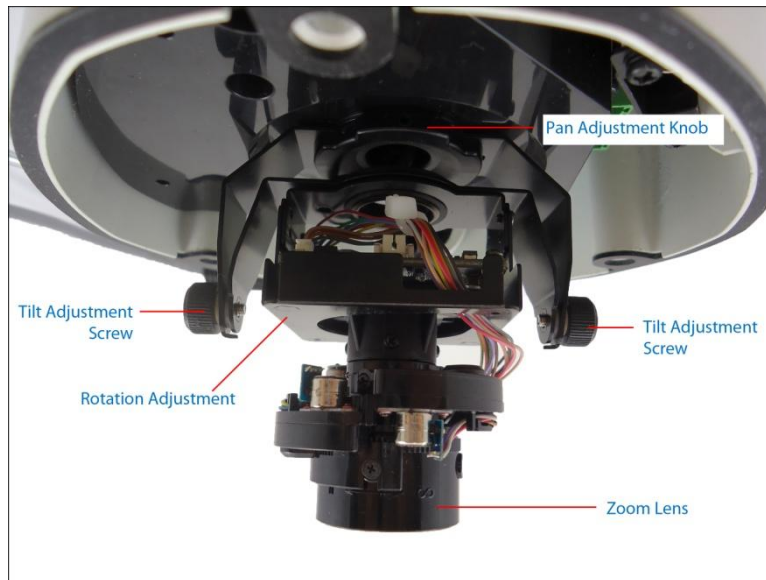
**NOTE:** For more information about AUDIO in connections, please refer to the Knowledge Base article [How to Use Audio-in of ACTi Cameras](http://www.acti.com/support/KnowledgeBase/outside/detail.asp?KB_ID=KB20100114003), downloadable from the link below ([http://www.acti.com/support/KnowledgeBase/outside/detail.asp?KB\\_ID=KB20100114003](http://www.acti.com/support/KnowledgeBase/outside/detail.asp?KB_ID=KB20100114003)).

# Other Adjustments

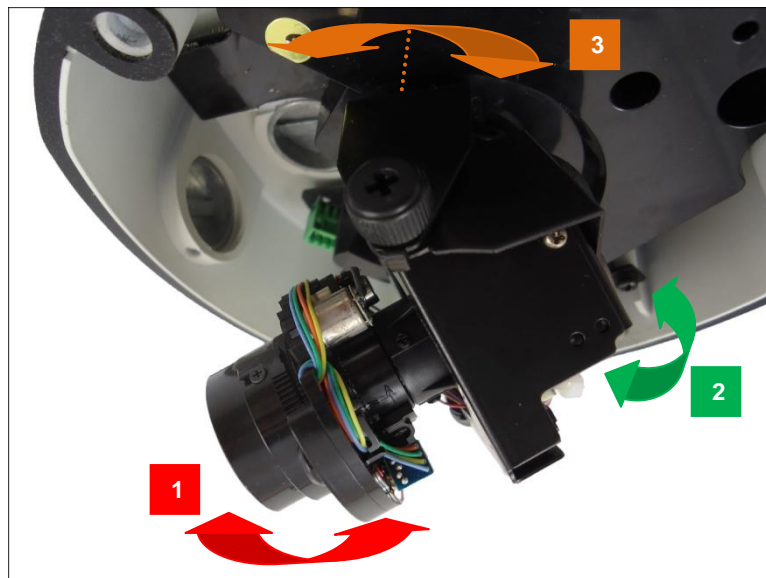
## How to Adjust Focus and Viewing Angle

### KCM-7311 / KCM-7211

#### Camera Parts Overview



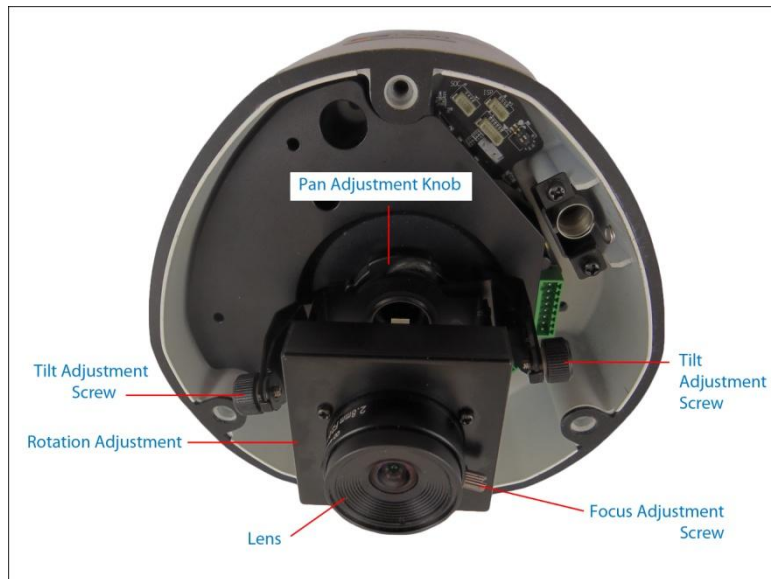
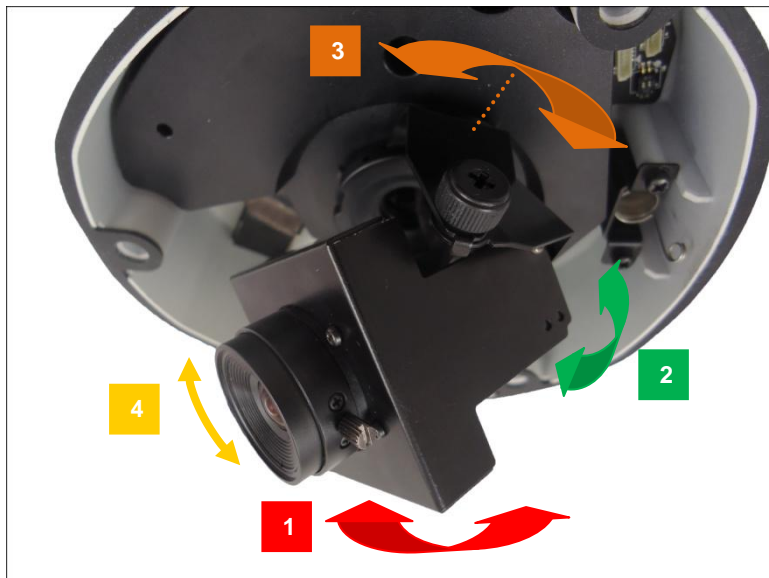
#### Adjustment Procedures



1. Loosen the tilt adjustment screws, adjust the tilt, and then tighten back the screws to fix the tilt position.
2. Move the rotation adjustment to rotate the viewing orientation.
3. Move the pan direction left or right.

**NOTE:** If you need to tighten or loosen the pan adjustment knob and adjustment by hand is not enough, insert the bundled pan bracket wrench into the hole on the knob and then push it to the left or to the right.



**KCM-7111****Camera Parts Overview****Adjustment Procedures**

1. Loosen the tilt adjustment screws, adjust the tilt, and then tighten back the screws to fix the tilt position.
2. Move the rotation adjustment to rotate the viewing orientation.
3. Loosen the pan adjustment screw and move the pan direction.
4. Loosen the focus adjustment screw, and move the lens left or right to adjust focus, and then tighten back the screw to fix the lens position.

# Accessing the Camera

## Connect the Equipment

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To be able to connect to the camera firmware from your PC, both the camera and the PC have to be connected to each other via Ethernet cable. At the same time, the camera has to have its own power supply. In case of PoE cameras, you can use a PoE Injector or a PoE Switch between the camera and the PC. The cameras that have the DC power connectors may be powered on by using a power adapter.

The Ethernet port LED or Power LED of the camera will indicate that the power supply for the camera works normally.

## Configure the IP Addresses

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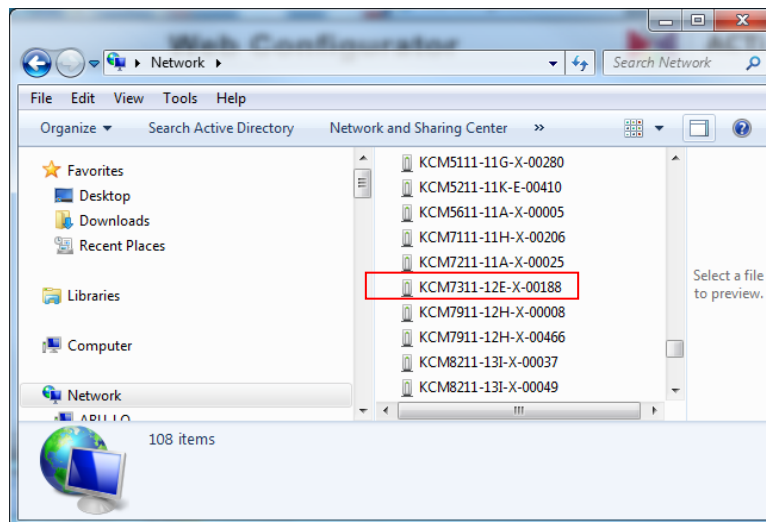
In order to be able to communicate with the camera from your PC, both the camera and the PC have to be within the same network segment. In most cases, it means that they both should have very similar IP addresses, where only the last number of the IP address is different from each other. There are 2 different approaches to IP Address management in Local Area Networks – by DHCP Server or Manually.

### Using DHCP server to assign IP addresses

If you have connected the computer and the camera into the network that has a DHCP server running, then you do not need to configure the IP addresses at all – both the camera and the PC would request a unique IP address from the DHCP server automatically. In such case, the camera will immediately be ready for the access from the PC. The user, however, might not know the IP address of the camera yet. It is necessary to know the IP address of the camera in order to access it using a Web browser.

**The quickest way to discover the cameras in the network** is to use the simplest network search, built in the Windows system – just by pressing the “Network” icon, all the cameras of the local area network will be discovered by Windows, thanks to the UPnP function support of our cameras.

In the example below, the camera that has just been connected to the network is successfully found.

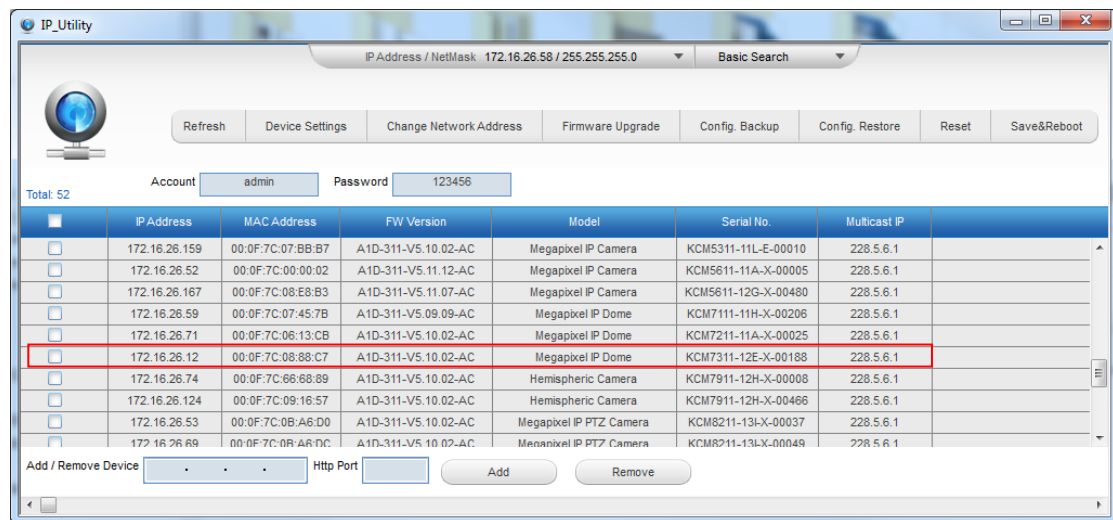


When the left mouse is clicked on the camera model name, the default browser of the PC is automatically launched and the IP address of the target camera is already filled in the address bar of the browser.

If you work with our cameras regularly, then **there is even a better way to discover the cameras in the network** – by using **IP Utility**. The IP Utility is a light software tool that can not only discover the cameras, but also list lots of valuable information, such as IP and MAC addresses, serial numbers, firmware versions, etc, and allows quick configuration of multiple devices at the same time.

The IP Utility can be downloaded for free from [http://www.acti.com/IP\\_Utility](http://www.acti.com/IP_Utility)

When you launch IP Utility, the list of connected cameras in the network will be shown. See sample illustration below:



You can quickly notice the camera model in the list. Click on the IP address to automatically launch the default browser of the PC with the IP address of the target camera already filled in the address bar of the browser.

#### Use the default IP address of the camera

If there is no DHCP server in the given network, the user may have to manually assign the IP addresses to both the PC and the camera to make sure they are in the same network segment.

When the camera is plugged into the network and it does not detect any DHCP services, it will automatically assign itself a default IP:

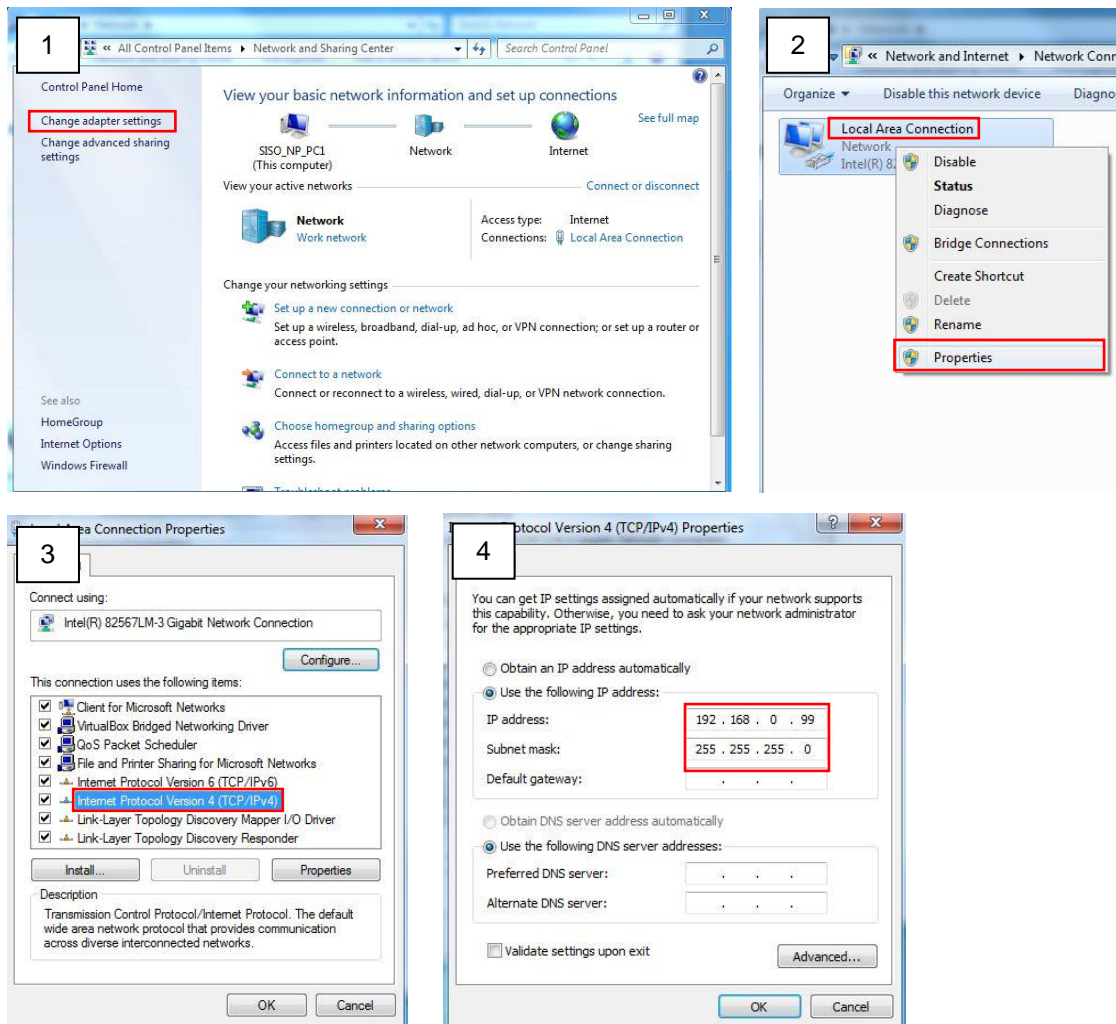
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Whereas the default port number would be **80**. In order to access that camera, the IP address of the PC has to be configured to match the network segment of the camera.



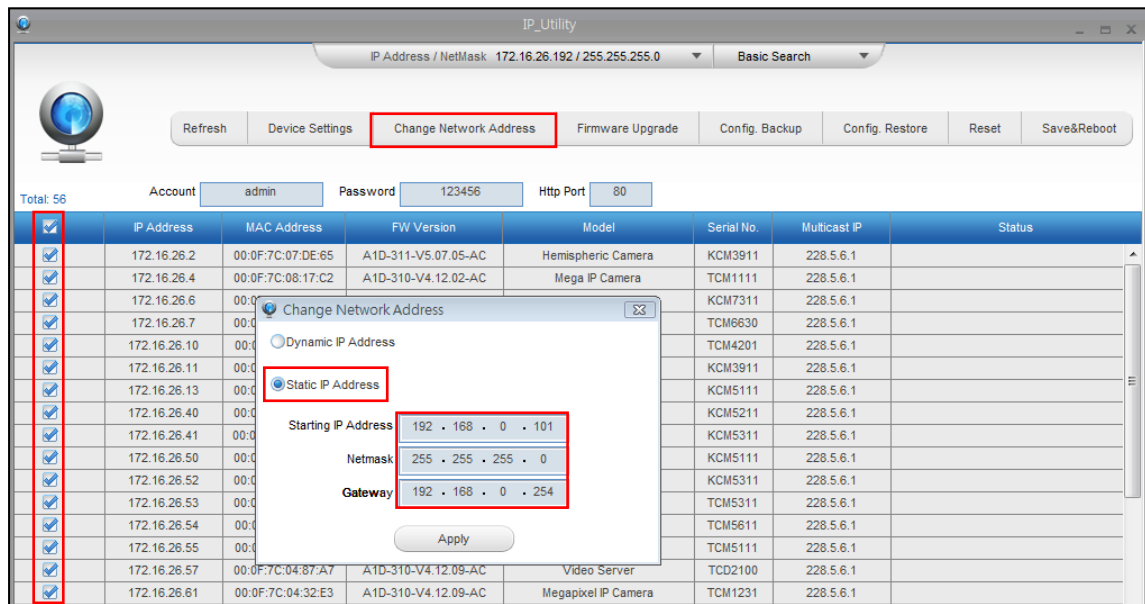
## Manually adjust the IP address of the PC

In the following example, based on Windows 7, we will configure the IP address to **192.168.0.99** and set Subnet Mask to **255.255.255.0** by using the steps below:



### Manually adjust the IP addresses of multiple cameras

If there are more than one camera to be used in the same local area network and there is no DHCP server to assign unique IP addresses to each of them, all of the cameras would then have the initial IP address of **192.168.0.100**, which is not a proper situation for network devices – all the IP addresses have to be different from each other. The easiest way to assign cameras the IP addresses is by using **IP Utility**:



With the procedure shown above, all the cameras will have unique IP addresses, starting from 192.168.0.101. In case there are 20 cameras selected, the last one of the cameras would have the IP 192.168.0.120.

Later, by pressing the “Refresh” button of the IP Utility, you will be able to see the list of cameras with their new IP addresses.



Please note that it is also possible to change the IP addresses manually by using the Web browser. In such case, please plug in only one camera at a time, and change its IP address by using the Web browser before plugging in the next one. This way, the Web browser will not be confused about two devices having the same IP address at the same time.

## Access the Camera

Now that the camera and the PC both have their unique IP addresses and are under the same network segment, you can use **Microsoft Internet Explorer** on the PC to access the camera.

**NOTE:** Only Microsoft Internet Explorer is supported by the camera at the time of writing this documentation. Please refer to our website ([www.acti.com](http://www.acti.com)) for future upgrades.

Internet Explorer supports the following functionalities:

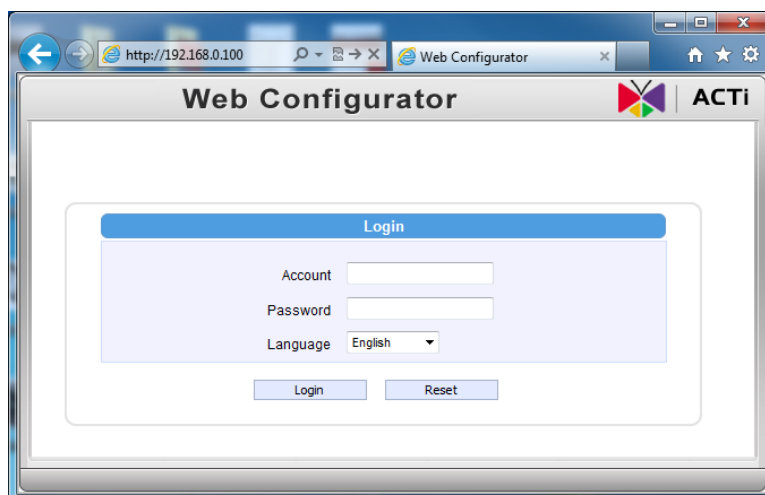
Functionality	Internet Explorer
Live Video	Yes
Live Video Area Resizable	Yes
PTZ Control	Yes
Capture the snapshot	Yes
Video overlay based configuration (Motion Detection regions, Privacy Mask regions)	Yes
All the other configurations	Yes

The ActiveX control for video stream management will be downloaded from the camera directly – the user has to accept the use of such control when prompted so. No other third party utilities are required to be installed in such case.

Assuming that the camera's IP address is **192.168.0.100**, you can access it by opening the Web browser and typing the following address into the Web browser's address bar:

**`http://192.168.0.100`**

Upon successful connection to the camera, the user interface called **Web Configurator** would appear together with the login page. The HTTP port number was not added behind the IP address since the default HTTP port of the camera is 80, which can be omitted from the address for convenience.



Before logging in, you need to know the factory default Account and Password of the camera.

Account: **Admin**

Password: **123456**

For further operations, please refer to the **Firmware User Manual**.